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PAVEL PETIHACHNY

In February I taught a two week session at the Theological institute in Chernovtsy and the topic was "The Growth of the Church". The study was based on the books of Acts and Philippians. We pray for the students to grow to be true disciples worthy of the ministry that God has called them to do. Also this month I went to Kiev, and brought the necessary literature for the conference with Tony Morrison that is to be in May in Chernovtsy. It was very frosty, around 21 degrees below 0 and the roads were deep in snow, but we were able to get home safe.

I held the Communion in two churches, Balkauts and Nesvoia. I also visited the sick people of the church, sharing Communion with them and preaching the Gospel to their relatives who care for them and who are not believers yet. We invited them to church.

I visited four churches in Novoselitsa district: Novoselitsa, Mamaliga Malinesht and Dolzhok. There I preached the Gospel and spoke with everyone eager to have fellowship. Thank you for your prayer and financial support.

Prayer requests:

- Please, pray for Ukraine and its leaders. Especially pray for Poroshenko, the president, to get wisdom from God and stop the war in the eastern part of Ukraine.
- Thank you for praying for my brother Mihai. He is better, praise the Lord! Please continue to pray for our niece Tatiana Bodian who is still under intensive care with pneumonia. She is a little better but very weak and her lungs need regeneration. We trust our Lord for healing.
- Pray for the Conference with Tony Morrison scheduled on May 11 and 12, 2018. Pray for Mr. Terry, for Vladimir the interpreter, and for the American team who will come to Ukraine. Pray for peace, health and God's guidance in this project. Pray for all the people who will attend the conference.

Best wishes, Pavel and Larisa Petihachny

GORTOPAN MIHAI

February was a beautiful month in which we could work for the Lord and His Kingdom. We had the opportunity to organize an outreach with some Romanian preachers. Our youth and the choir praised the Lord with songs on that event. There were unsaved people from the community for whom we pray to be touched by the Holy Spirit.

Our youth attended a youth district meeting where they had a study entitled "The Lord's coming". The study makes us think about our soul's condition and prepare ourselves to meet the Lord. With a team of brothers and sisters from our church we went to a funeral in Stalinest, a village in our district. The church in that village is so small that they cannot hold such works



alone. It was a right opportunity to preach the Gospel to lots of unsaved people in that village.

The young ladies of our church visited all the old people of the church who cannot come to church because they are bound to beds. They filmed and photographed their visits and then shared their videos to the whole church. The sick and old people were encouraged by those young ladies and the church was motivated to visit them more often. I wish the young generation grows spiritually and gets ready for the harder times that are coming due to the devil. Thank you for supporting the ministry in Ukraine. You are a blessing to us and I wish the Lord take care of all your needs, according to His riches in glory in Jesus Christ (Philippians 4:19).

Best wishes, Gortopan Mihai

PREUTESA VASILE

My family and the church in Vanchikauts and Fagadau are greeting everybody who works in the field of Gospel. In February I had the opportunity to confess the Lord by preaching the Gospel, singing, reciting poems and praying. I invited to church all the people to whom I talked.

I talked to a lady, a former kindergarten principal, whose name was Olga Fyodorovna. She sings in the orthodox choir and she knows the Bible very well. I suggested that she read what the Bible says about repentance, God's love and baptism. Since then she calls me regularly and asks me to explain for her lots of questions she has from John 3. This lady has a high impact on people in the village as she has been working as a kindergarten principal for 35 years. We are glad that sometimes she comes to our church. She has two children who are married and who have their own children. We pray for her and her family to repent.

I visited a sick sister in the Lord. There I met her daughters, Polina and Larisa, who came to visit their mom. They are not believers so I had the opportunity to share the Gospel. The Holy Spirit led me through the conversation, and I told them how we held our services and how through prayer God can release a person from addiction. I prayed for them and for their husbands (George and Ivan) to be touched by the Lord. I talked to several young people who stood near a house wondering what else to do. They saw me and started to talk with me. One of them didn't know me so the others told him about me that I was the person who wanted their good and prayed for them to leave the evil and come to church. I shared the Gospel again and told them that I will continue to pray for them to become brothers in Christ with me. Their names are Andrei 23, George 20, Calin 21 and Nicolay.

Prayer requests:

- Please pray for people in the villages Vanchikauts and Fagadau. There are lots of alcohol and drug addicts who need prayer and salvation.
- We thank the Lord for brother Pavel and sister Larisa Petihachny who encourage all PIEI missionaries in the ministry and pray for the ministry in Ukraine and for everybody who need prayer. We join with them in prayer for the ministry in Ukraine and for other missionaries too.
- Concerning my health in March I have to start another treatment with expensive drugs from Germany. Pray for me and the ministry I do.

Best regards, Vasil Preutesa



PASKARI ALEXA

As usual I started my ministry in February by sharing Communion with the sick people of our church. Besides an old sister in Jesus asked us to pray for her because it was her birthday. So a small group from the church went and praised the Lord with songs and preached the Gospel at that lady's house. Her relatives, who are not believers, but who were present there had the possibility to hear the Gospel. They asked us a lot of questions about us that we answered. We invited them to church. We pray for them.

February was a cold month and the old people couldn't come to church. That is why we decided to visit and encourage them with the Word of God.

Our choir served the Lord at a funeral service in a neighboring village, Marshentsa. A sister in the Lord who was involved in



the children's ministry all her life passed away at the age of 68. A lot of people came to the funeral.

Our church financially helped a family whose house was burned as well a boy who had a very expensive surgery.

We bought wood for heating at church and the youth gathered it together in the shed.

We pray for peace in Ukraine, for brothers and sisters in the Lord who live in the war zone. We also pray for our president and the senators to get wisdom from God and lead our country in peace and under the God's fear.





KIORESKO GRIGORY

Dear brothers and sisters, I greet you with the peace of the Lord! I always thank the Lord for you in my prayers. Thank you for supporting me in prayers, they are so important! By God's grace we lived one more month in which we felt the great Grace of our Lord in our life and in the church.

In February I preached 17 sermons in the church and at two funerals. There were dozens of people at the funerals who heard the Gospel.

Also in February we visited the rehab center in Malinesht. The ladies of our church prepared food for the patients and we held evangelism for them.

The most exciting event in February was that a woman from the community accepted the Lord as her Savior one Saturday. It is so wonderful to see God at work! Since then she always comes to church. We pray for her to grow spiritually and stay firm in her decision. Please join with us in prayer for that woman. Her name is Vera. Also pray for the other three people who repented previously to stay firm near the Lord.

Pray for me to be used to the fullest by God. Pray for my family to stay faithful to the Lord and serve Him without complaint. Thank you again for supporting us in the ministry. I pray for you to be blessed.

Love, Kioresko Grigory

We pray for the people in our village to repent. We pray for you and thank the Lord for your prayers and financial support. May the Lord reward your sacrifice! My family sends lots of greetings to the Dornbos' family and to the Stef's. Be blessed!

Love, Alexa Paskari

POSTUSAK GRIGORY

I started my ministry in February by teaching at the Theological institute a session in Systematic theology. I am glad that the students are keen in studying the Word of God. I pray for them.

At church we organized a meeting for young families. We had a great fellowship at a cup of coffee. I was glad to see lots of families coming to the meeting eager to learn the Word of God. They are glad to have such meetings at least once every three months.

Our teens had a meeting at the Coffee House. They invited unsaved teens at the meeting and had a great time with different Bible contests, praise and worship songs and Bible study. We pray for them as they are the future of our church. I preached at three funeral services in our church. One was for a young man age 28 who passed away. There were a lot of people at that funeral who heard the Gospel. We pray that God's Word will penetrate all the people's hearts present at those funerals.

Thank you for supporting us in the ministry. May the Lord bless you! We love you and pray for you.

Best regards, Postusak Grigory

POPOV VALERY

By God's grace we lived another month in which we could serve Him in different ways.

The teaching and spiritual growth of the Church is given through preaching. We had some massive evangelism, where dozens of people heard the Word of God. We pray that the Lord will work by the power of the Word and of the Holy Spirit to give them conviction and repentance.

We continue to distribute Christian literature to all interested people, and pray that by reading it they reach the Truth.

Every Sunday service we have unsaved guests at church who search for the Lord. The youth and the children of the church are involved in the praise and worship programs at church. We are glad to serve the Lord together.

We thank the Lord for you and for your support. Be blessed!

Best wishes, Popov Valery



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1 Corinthians 3:9